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Title: Need to implement the report on cadre-restructuring of staff in Survey of India-Laid.

SHRI SWADESH CHAKRABORTTY (HOWRAH): The cadre restructuring of staff of Survey of India -is pending for implementation since last four years. Aimed at abrupt downsizing in the Department of Survey of India, the Department was reorganized in 2003 by dispensing with the erstwhile Circles/Directorates and introducing Geo-Spatial Data Centres (GDCs). The question of Cadre Restructuring had automatically come into being. Instead the Surveyor General went for a Second Cadre Review and got nod from the Ministry of Science and Technology. The cadre restructuring of officers were carried out during 2003 raising their number from 22 to 65. But the question of restructuring of staff was kept unresolved and pending. The non-implementation of cadre restructuring of staff is causing serious resentment and discontentment among the staff. The Restructuring Committee had submitted a favourable report to the Surveyor General of India and the staff side members were assured of its implementation. Hence, I urge upon the Government to implement cadre restructuring of staff of Survey of India and do justice to their cause.